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For: GRAY CAST IRON ALLOY FOR A FRICTION ELEMENT OF A FRICTION CLUTCH AND A FRICTION ELEMENT FOR A FRICTION CLUTCH

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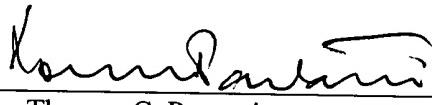
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- [x] Priority is claimed for this invention and application, corresponding applications having been filed in **Germany** on **December 22, 2000**, No. **100 64 248.9**.

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